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VIA REGULAR AND CERTIFIED MAIL/RRR

Joanne Donat

Re: Notice of The New Jersey Board of Nursing Denying An Intial Applicant Certification As A Homemaker-Home Health Aide.

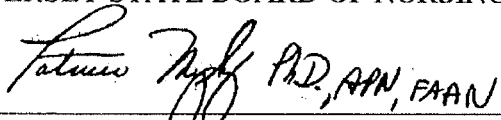
Dear Ms. Donat:

The New Jersey Board of Nursing ("the Board"), received your application for certification as a homemaker-home health aide. Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:11-24.3 and N.J.S.A. 45:11-24.4, a criminal history record background check, (CHRBC), was conducted. The CHRBC's results revealed arrests for drug related offenses, which the Board may deem to relate adversely to the activity that it regulates, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45: 1-21(f).

At its September 2013 meeting, the Board reviewed your application, and response to a letter of inquiry dated July 3, 2013, which asked that you provide proof of either successful completion of or continued participation in a substance abuse treatment program. **The Board has resolved to deny your application. You may submit another application for initial certification as a homemaker-home health aide, along with documents proving successful completion of a substance abuse treatment program, as well as proof of payment of all fines. (You need to provide proof of payment of the \$280.00 fine ordered by the Irvington Municipal Court on February 17, 2010, relating to a shoplifting charge that was amended to a local ordinance violation).**

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF NURSING.

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